

IN THE CLAIMS

Please cancel claims 1, 2, 4, 19, 22-26, and 27. Please amend claim 21.

1. (Canceled)
2. (Canceled)
3. (Canceled)
4. (Canceled)
5. (Previously Amended) A golf club comprising:

a club head having a front face, a sole, a toe, and a heel, said heel defining an aperture adapted for receiving a hosel therein and extending through at least one of a front face or a rear face of said heel; and,

said front face of said heel defining a plane which intersects a plane defined by said front face of said club head.

6. (Original) The golf club according to claim 5 wherein said aperture extends from a front surface of said heel.

7. (Previously Amended) The golf club according to claim 5 wherein said aperture extends from a rear surface of said heel to a front surface of said heel.

8. (Canceled)
9. (Canceled)

10. (Previously Amended) A golf club comprising:

a club head having a front face, a sole, a toe, and a heel, said heel defining a bore extending into a rear surface of said heel, said heel defining at least one of a front heel face or a rear heel face having a plane which intersects a plane defined by said front face of said club head; and,

an angled hosel having a first end inserted into said bore defined by said rear surface of said heel and a second end which extends from said rear heel surface and which is attached to a shaft.

11. (Previously Amended) A golf club according to claim 10 wherein said club head defines a gap beneath said heel.

12. (Canceled)

13. (Canceled)

14. (Previously Amended) A golf club according to claim 10 wherein said bore is perpendicular to said rear surface of said heel.

15. (Previously Amended) A golf club according to claim 10 wherein said bore defines a non-perpendicular angle to said at least one of said front surface or said rear surface of said heel.

16. (Canceled)

17. (Canceled)

18. (Previously Added) The golf club according to claim 10 wherein a lower edge of said club face defines a plane parallel to a plane defined by a lower edge of said heel face.

19. (Canceled)

20. (Previously Added) A golf club according to claim 11 wherein said bore defines a non-perpendicular angle to said at least one of said front surface or said rear surface of said heel.

21. (Currently Amended) A golf club comprising:

the club head having a front face, a sole, a toe, and a heel portion;

a hosel extending from an aperture defined by at least one of a front surface or a rear surface of said heel, said at least one front surface or rear surface of said heel further defining a flat planar surface surrounding said aperture, said flat planar surface defining a plane which intersects ~~at a single point~~ the plane defined by said front face of said club head, said heel further defining an upper edge and a lower edge, said upper edge and said lower edge being parallel, said heel having a height less than a height of said club head.

22. (Canceled)

23. (Canceled)

24. Canceled)

25. (Canceled)

26. (Canceled)

27. (Canceled)

28. (Previously Added) A golf club comprising:

the club head having a front face, a sole, a toe, and a heel portion;

a hosel extending from an aperture defined by at least one of a front surface or a rear surface of said heel, said at least one front surface or rear surface of said heel further defining a flat planar surface surrounding said aperture, said flat planar surface defining a plane which intersects the plane defined by said front face of said club head, said heel further defining an upper edge and a lower edge, said upper edge and said lower edge being parallel, said heel having a height less than a height of said club head.